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APPLICANT : Quinton Zondervan CONFIRMATION No.: 5720
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2002, Applicants respectfully submit the following Reply and Amendment.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0311.

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